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New Harbour. Vide *Bengal.*

Newhaven, Petition for a Bill to build a Bridge over the River there; referred to a Committee; 7 Dec.

Newington Roads. Vide *Lambeth.*

Newman. Vide *Harding.*

Newnham Road to Saint White's, adjoining the Foreſt of Dean, Petition for a Bill to amend and widen it; referred to a Committee; 4 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 5. Preſented, and read, 21 Mar. Committed, 25. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 2 Apr. Paſſed, 8. Another Member to carry it to the Lords, 11. Agreed to by the Lords, 16. Royal Aſſent, 17.

Newſpapers. Vide *Speaker.*

Newton, new Writ, 21 May.

Newtown, Mr. Speaker acquaints the Houſe of his having iſſued his Warrant for a new Writ in the Receſs, 5 Dec.

——— new Writ, 23 Dec.

——— Road. Vide *Winchester.*

New Way. Vide *Margaret* St. Pariſh.

Norfolk, Duke of, Bill from the Lords for enabling him and others to grant Leaſes of certain Eſtates in the Pariſh of Saint Clement Danes, and in the Town of Arundel; read; 30 May. Committed, 3 June. Reported; paſſed; 11. Royal Aſſent, 24.

North Deighton. Vide *Deighton.*

Norwich, Petition from Grocers and Tea Dealers there, 7 Feb. Vide *Tea Dealers.*

Nottingham County, Petitions from, 10 Mar. 1 Apr. Vide *Parliament.*

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NATION, State thereof to be conſidered in a Committee of the whole Houſe, 17 Dec. Conſidered; Report Motion for an Addreſs againſt diſſolving the Parliament; Reſolution thereupon; 22. Vide *Addreſs.* Committee to ſit again, ibid. State of Nation further conſidered; Report Reſolution reſpecting the Acceptance of Bills drawn from India; agreed to; 24. Report Motion for an Addreſs relating to the Office of Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaſter, ibid. Vide *Addreſs.* State of Nation further conſidered; Report ſeveral Reſolutions touching Payment of Public Money; for certain Accounts to be laid before the Houſe; and reſpecting the late Changes in His Majeſty's Councils; agreed to; 12 Jan. Report Motion for appointing a Day for Second Reading of Mutiny Bill, ibid. Committee to ſit again, 14. State of Nation further conſidered; Report Reſolution, That the Continuance of His Majeſty's preſent Miniſters, in Truſts of the higheſt Importance and Reſponſibility, is contrary to Conſtitutional Principles, and injurious to the Intereſts of His Majeſty and His People; agreed to; 16. Committee to ſit again, ibid. Deferred, 20. 26. 29 Jan. 2. 3. 9. 12. 16. 18. 19. 23. 25 Feb. 1 Mar. Order for going into the Committee diſcharged, 8.

Naturalization, Bill for declaring the Children of Britiſh Mothers natural-born Subjects though born Abroad, ordered, 20 Jan. Preſented, and read, 23. Committed, 3 Feb. to be printed, 6. Committee deferred, 6. 12. 16. 23. Bill conſidered, 24. Dropped, ibid.

Nevis, Remonſtrance and Petition from the Council and Aſſembly of that Iſland, in relation to the Trade with America; to lie on the Table; 18 Feb.

Newhaven, Petition for a Bill to build a Bridge over the River there; referred to a Committee; 5 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 10. Preſented, and read, 18. Committed, 23. Petitions againſt Parts of the Bill; referred, and Petitioners to be heard; 2 Mar. Petition of Mr. Humphery, againſt; referred, and Petitioner to be heard; 8. Bill reported; to be ingroſſed; 15. Paſſed, 16. Agreed to by the Lords, 22. Royal Aſſent, 24.

Newton Abbott Roads, to the Paſſage Way in Kingſwear, and other Places, Petition for a Bill to continue, enlarge, and alter Term and Powers of Act; referred to a Committee; 22 Jan. Reported; Bill ordered; 29. Preſented, and read, 2 Feb. Committed, 6. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 16. Paſſed, 18. Agreed to by the Lords, 1 Mar. Royal Aſſent, 11.

Newtown, new Writ, 26 Dec.

Niſbet, Walter, Bill from the Lords to diſſolve his Marriage; read; 23 Feb. Committed; Inſtruction to hear Counſel, and examine Witneſſes; 27. Bill conſidered, and reported, 8 Mar. Paſſed, 9. Royal Aſſent, 11.

Northamptonshire Roads. Vide *Hinckley.*

Northumberland, Petition for a Bill for the public Regiſtering of Deeds, Wills, &c. in that County; Bill ordered; 3 Feb. Petitions againſt; to lie on the Table till Bill brought in; 18.

——— Duke of, and others, Petition for a Bill to enable His Majeſty to grant the Inheritance of certain Lands and Tenements in Scotland Yard, in Exchange for certain Barracks and Land at Tinmouth belonging to the ſaid Duke, and for impowering him to make ſuch Exchange, offered; King's Conſent ſignified; Petition brought up, and read; referred to a Committee of the whole Houſe; 19 Feb. Conſidered, 23. Reported; Bill ordered; 24.

Norwich, Biſhop of, Bill from the Lords for confirming an Agreement made between him and Mr. Preſton for Exchange of certain Eſtates in Norfolk; read; 19 Mar. Committed; Leave given for Committee to ſit before the uſual Time; 23. Bill reported; paſſed; 24. Royal Aſſent, ibid.

Notes. Vide *Receipts*.

Nottingham Road. Vide *Bramcote*.

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OAKHAMPTON, new Writ, 17 Apr.

Oaths. Vide *Members*.

Odſtock, Homington, Coombe Biſſett, Weſt Harnham, and Netherhampton Common Fields, Petition for a Bill to divide and allot; Bill ordered; 29 Jan. Preſented, and read, 2 Apr. Committed, 7. Petition againſt; referred, and Counſel ordered; all to have Voices; 19 May. Bill reported; to be ingroſſed; 23. Paſſed, 26. Agreed to by the Lords, 16 June. Royal Aſſent, 24.

Offices, of the Treaſury, Admiralty, Ordnance, &c. &c. Bill for preventing Abuſes and eſtabliſhing certain Regulations therein, ordered, 10 Feb. Preſented, and read; to be printed; 2 June. Day appointed for Second Reading, ibid. Committed, 6. Accounts referred; Inſtruction to extend the Proviſions of the Bill to the Office of the Secretaries of State; Bill conſidered; 17. Reported; to be ingroſſed; Day appointed for Third Reading; 18. Paſſed, 19.

——— of the Cuſtoms, Bill for vacating certain Grants, and aboliſhing various obſolete and uſeleſs Offices therein, &c. &c. Ordered, 10 Feb. Preſented, and read; to be printed; Day appointed for Second Reading; 28. Petition from Officers and Clerks under the Chief Patentees of Offices in the Cuſtoms, againſt, 14 Mar. Petition from the Dukes of Mancheſter and Newcaſtle, and Lords Stawell and Pelham, againſt; Petition from the Deputy Patent Searchers in the Port of London; againſt; Petition from Landing Waiters in the Port of London for an adequate Salary; 17. Second Reading of Bill deferred, ibid. Petition from the Coaſt Waiters in London; D° from the Surveyor of the Coaſt Waiters in D°, for an equal Compenſation; 18. Petition from the Collector, Deputy Cuſtomer, &c. &c. of the Cuſtoms in Poole, for Relief, 19. Petition from the Landing Surveyors in the Port of London, for adequate Salaries, 21. Second Reading of Bill further deferred, 24. Petition from the eſtabliſhed Weighers in Fee for the Port of London, to have their Salaries advanced, 31. Second Reading of Bill further deferred, 2. 14. 25 Apr. 8. 16 May. Bill committed; Petitions referred, and Counſel ordered on the Three Firſt; 21 May. Committee put off for Three Months, 30.—Houſe reſolve, That His Majeſty's Miniſters ought not to grant, or adviſe the granting of, any Patent Offices in the Cuſtoms, otherwiſe than during Pleaſure, between this Time and the Meeting of the next Seſſion of Parliament, ibid.

——— and Employments, Bill to indemnify Perſons who have omitted to qualify for, &c. ordered, 21 Mar. Preſented, and read, 24. Committed, 25. Conſidered, 26. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 27. Paſſed, 28. Agreed to by the Lords, 9 Apr. Royal Aſſent, 17.

——— Vide *Exchequer*.

Ogilvy, David, Petition for a Bill to remove certain Diſabilities occaſioned by his Attainder, offered; King's Conſent ſignified; Petition brought up, and read; Bill ordered; 4 Feb. Preſented, and read, 11 Mar. Committed, 17. Conſidered, and reported; to be ingroſſed; 25. Paſſed, 28. Agreed to by the Lords, 9 Apr. Royal Aſſent, 17.

Old Street Road. Vide *Goſwell Street*.

Ongley, Lord, Bill from the Lords for veſting Part of his ſettled Eſtates in Truſtees to be ſold, and for purchaſing other Eſtates to be ſettled to the like Uſes, 19 Mar. Read, 20. Committed, 24. Reported; paſſed; 31. Royal Aſſent, 17 Apr.

Orchard Street. Vide *Margaret* St. Pariſh.

Orders, and Reſolutions, uſual made, touching Privileges and Elections; to prevent Diſorders; and relating to Members Letters; 6 Dec.

——— Standing, read, 21 Jan.

——— of Leave for a Bill diſcharged, 11 Feb.

——— diſcharged, 5. 14 Mar. 19. 20 May.

——— of the Day poſtponed, 7 Mar. 1 July.

——— for referring a Petition to a Committee, diſcharged, 18 June.

——— for going into a Committee upon a Bill, diſcharged, 19 June.

——— Vide *Queſtions* Neg.

Ordnance. Vide *Offices* ſupra.

Oriſſa. Vide *Bengal*.

Oſwald, Mr. Vide *Queſtions* Neg. *Addreſs*.

Over Letton. Vide *Staunton*.

Outlawries, clandeſtine, Bill for preventing, read, 5 Dec.

Oxford, and Cambridge, Bill for enabling certain Heads of Colleges and Halls in thoſe Univerſities to marry; and to enable married Men to be elected Heads of ſuch Colleges or Halls, ordered, 10 Dec. Preſented, and read, 13. Committed, 23. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 23 Jan. Paſſed, 24.

——— County, new Writ, 5 Dec.

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OATHS. Vide *Members*. *Scotland*.

Offenders. Vide *Transportation*.

Orders, and Reſolutions, uſual made, touching Privileges and Elections; to prevent Diſorders; and relating to Members Letters; 12 Nov.

——— for the Attendance of a Perſon diſcharged, 29 Jan.

——— for going into a Committee diſcharged, 8 Mar.

Oriſſa. Vide *Bengal*.

Outlawries, clandeſtine, Bill for preventing, read, 11 Nov.

Ouze River. Vide *Newhaven*.

Oxford Canal Navigation, Petition from the Company of Proprietors for a Bill to raiſe Money for completing it from Banbury to Oxford; referred to a Committee; 3 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 18 Mar.

——— Vide *Trent*. *Coventry*.

———*ſhire* Roads. Vide *Shillingford*. *Woodſtock*.

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PAPER. Vide Bills in *Supply*.

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Parchment. Vide Bills in *Supply*.

Parker, Mr. Vide *Greſley*.

Parks. Vide *Timber*.

Parliament meets, 26 Nov.—prorogued, 26 Nov. 16 July. 9 Sept. 16 Oct.

——— Petitions from certain Places relative to the Repreſentation of the Commons therein, viz. Suſſex, 22 Jan. Launceſton, 23. Poole; Tiverton; 31. Great Yarmouth, 3 Feb. Wincheſter, 5. Cambridge Town, 10. Lyme Regis, 13. North Weſt Diviſion of Devonſhire, 14. Derby County; Saint Edmund's Bury; 17. Derby Borough, 21. York County; York City; Carnarvon County; 24. Glouceſter City; Somerſet County; 3 Mar. Southwark, 5. Penryn; Cornwall; Rocheſter; Lymington; 6. Scarborough; Surrey; Nottingham County; 10. Flint, 12. Nottingham County, 1 Apr. Denbigh County; Droitwich; Southampton County; 9. Portſmouth, 10. Chicheſter, 14. Montroſe, 23. Suffolk; Haſtings; 5 May. London; Middleſex; Dumbarton; 6. Tower Hamlets; Kent; Weſtminſter; Irvine Burgh; 7.

Parliamentary Records. Vide *Addreſs*.

Parliaments. Vide *Queſtions* Neg.

Patrons, Bill from the Lords for quieting Patrons, under certain Circumſtances, in the Poſſeſſion of their Rights of Patronage; and for indemnifying the Subject againſt certain Penalties and Eccleſiaſtical Cenſures, 27 June. Read, and ordered to be printed; Day appointed for Second Reading; ibid. Second Reading put off for Three Months, 30.

Paul's, Saint (London). Vide *Doctor's Commons*.

Paymaſter General of the Forces, Bill to explain and amend Act of laſt Seſſion for the better Regulation of his Office, ordered, 7 Feb. Preſented, and read; to be printed; 13. Day appointed for Second Reading, 25. Committed; Perſons to attend; 5 Mar. Account referred, 12. Committee deferred; another Perſon ordered to attend; ibid. Committee further deferred, 21 Mar. 1. 7. 15 Apr. 5. 8 May. Bill conſidered, and reported; to be printed with Amendments; 16 May. Day appointed for further conſidering Report, 27. Report further conſidered; Bill to be ingroſſed;

groſſed; 30. Paſſed, 3 June. Agreed to by the Lords, 18. Royal Aſſent, 24.
Peace, Preliminary Articles of, between Great Britain, France, and Spain; and Proviſional Articles with America; preſented, and ordered to be printed, 27 Jan. Day appointed for conſidering them, 14 Feb. Conſidered; Addreſs thereupon; 17. King's Anſwer, 19.—Reſolutions relative thereto, 21 Feb.
——— Vide *Speaker*.
Pearl Aſhes. Vide *Laws* expiring.
Peebles County, new Writ, 28 Feb.
Pemberton, Mary. Vide *Wale*.
Pembroke, Earl of, his Petition for a Bill to diveſt the Crown of the Reverſion in Fee of the Hundred of Kynwardſton, and of certain Eſtates in the Pariſhes of Great Bedwyn and Burbage, and for veſting the ſame in other Perſons, offered; King's Conſent ſignified; Petition brought up, and read; referred to a Committee of the whole Houſe; 6 Feb. Committee deferred, 7. Petition conſidered, and reported; Bill ordered; 14. Preſented, and read, 16 May. Committed; Petition from the Earl of Pembroke to have the Fee Simple and Inheritance of the ſaid Hundred and Eſtates veſted in him and his Heirs; referred, and Inſtruction accordingly; 3 June. Bill conſidered, 11. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 12. Paſſed, 13. Agreed to by the Lords, 20. Royal Aſſent, 24.
Penrith Road. Vide *Heſket*.
Penryn, new Writ, 5 Dec.
——— Petition from the Portreeve and Inhabitants, complaining of the Conduct of the Under Sheriff at the laſt Election of a Member for that Borough; to lie on the Table; 6 Mar.
Penſions. Vide *Addreſs*.
Perring, Peter. Vide *Accounts*. *Rumbold*.
Peterſfield, new Writ, 7 Apr.
Peterſham. Vide *Pitt* infra.
Peter Street. Vide *Margaret* St. Pariſh.
Petitions for private Bills, Time limited for receiving them, 11 Dec.
——— offered, not brought up, 19 Dec. 5 June.
——— withdrawn, 10 Feb. 18 June.
——— read again, 11 Feb. 3 Mar. 5 May. 6. 13 June—with Report, 16 Apr.
——— Leave given to preſent one after the limited Time, 13 Feb.
——— Motion for referring one to the Conſideration of a Committee, withdrawn, 16 June.
——— Vide *Queſtions* Neg.
Petrie, Samuel. Vide *Cricklade*.
Philipps, Henry, his Petition for Leave to preſent a Petition, after the limited Time, for a Reward for his Diſcovery of a Powder for the Preſervation of Dry Proviſions on board Ships of War from Weevils, &c.; Queſtion Neg. for Leave to preſent the Petition; 17 June.
Piſſard, David, Bill from the Lords for his Naturalization, 12 Mar. Read, 13. Committed, 17. Reported; paſſed; 18. Royal Aſſent, 21.
Pitt, Thomas, Petition for a Bill to enable His Majeſty to grant him and his Heirs the Inheritance of ſeveral Parcels of Land near Peterſham, formerly Part of Richmond Park, for a valuable Conſideration, offered; King's Conſent ſignified; Petition brought up, and read; referred to a Committee of the whole Houſe; 6 Feb. Conſidered, and reported; Bill ordered; 10. Preſented, and read, 12. Committed, 17. Conſidered, and reported; to be ingroſſed; 25. Paſſed, 28. Agreed to by the Lords, 25 Mar. Royal Aſſent, 17 Apr.
Plate, Gold and Silver. Vide *Burglary*.
Pontefract, new Writ, 5 Feb.
——— Petition for a Bill for better ſupplying that Town with Water; for paving, &c. the Streets, and regulating certain Charities; referred to a Committee; 6 Feb.
——— Election, Petition of Mr. John Smyth, complaining thereof; Day appointed for taking it into Conſideration; 28 Feb. Petition from the Electors; to be conſidered at the ſame Time, and Notices to be ſent to the Parties; Mr. Speaker to iſſue his Warrants for Perſons, Papers, and Records; ibid. Committee appointed, 8 Apr. Report that the Petitioner was duly elected; Deputy Clerk of the Crown ordered to attend and amend the Return; 11. Return amended, 14.
Poole, Petition from, 31 Jan. Vide *Parliament*.
——— Petition from ſeveral Maltſters and Brewers reſiding there, 12 June. Vide *Malt*.
——— *Gate* Roads, Petition of Truſtees for a Bill to amend and explain the Act, and for enlarging the Term thereof; to lie on the Table; 6 Feb.
Portſmouth, Petitions from, 21 Mar. Vide *Victualling Office*.—10 Apr. Vide *Parliament* ſupra.—2 June. Vide *Copper Coin*
——— new Writ, 16 July.
——— Vide *Dock Yards*.
Portugal Wines. Vide *Wines*. *Tobacco*.
Poſtage. Vide *Adjutant General*.
Poſtmaſter General, uſual Orders to him, 6 Dec.
Pot Aſhes. Vide *Laws* expiring.
Powell, Mr. Vide *Accounts*.
Power, Jonathan, Bill from the Lords to effectuate a Partition of certain Lands in Wiltſhire, heretofore his Eſtate; read; 2 July. Committed; Leave given for Committee to ſit before the uſual Time; 7. Bill reported; paſſed; 8. Royal Aſſent, 11.
Precedents. Vide *Cricklade*.
Priors Salford. Vide *Dunnington Heath*.
Privileges, Committee appointed, 6 Dec.
Prize Goods. Vide *Braſs*.
——— Bill for Sale of Prize Goods ſecured in Warehouſes for which the Duties are not paid, or the Goods exported, within a limited Time, ordered, 11 June. Preſented, and read, 13. Committed, 17. Conſidered, 18. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 19. Paſſed, 20. Agreed to by the Lords, 27. Royal Aſſent, 11 July.
Promiſſory Notes. Vide *Scotland*. Bills in *Supply*.
Proteſtant Purchaſers. Vide *Deeds*.
Proteſtants, Foreign, Bill for further explaining a Clauſe in Act 7 Anne for naturalizing Foreign Proteſtants, which relates to the Children of natural-born Subjects of the Crown of England, or of Great Britain, ordered, 13 Feb. Preſented, and read, 20. Committed, 28. Conſidered, 3 Mar. Report deferred, 4.
Provincial Corps. Vide *America*. *Accounts*. *King*. *Supply*.
Public Accountants. Vide *Addreſs*.
Pulteney, William, Bill from the Lords for enabling him to grant Leaſes of certain Eſtates in Middleſex and London; read; 1 Apr. Committed, 7. Reported; paſſed; 15. Royal Aſſent, 17.

PAGE, Sir Gregory. Vide *Military Academy*.
Paington Road. Vide *Newton Abbott*.
Pangborne Road. Vide *Shillingford*.
Papiſts. Vide *Deeds*.
Pariſh Schools. Vide *Scotland*.
Parliament meets, 11 Nov.—prorogued, 24 Mar.
——— Houſe reſolves, That it is neceſſary to declare, that to report any Opinion, or pretended Opinion, of His Majeſty, upon any Proceeding depending in Parliament, with a View to influence the Votes of Members, is a High Crime and Miſdemeanor, &c. &c. 17 Dec.
——— Petition from the Freeholders of Yorkſhire, relative to the Repreſentation of the Commons therein; to lie on the Table; 16 Jan.
——— Reſolution of the Houſe reſpecting his Majeſty's Anſwer to the Addreſs againſt diſſolving the Parliament, 26 Jan.
——— Vide *Addreſs*, *Journals*.
Pawnbrokers, Petition for a Bill to explain and amend Act 30 Geo. II. relative to them; referred to a Committee; 11 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 23. Preſented, and read, 27. Committed; all to have Voices; 12 Mar.
Peace, Preliminary Articles of, between Great Britain and Holland; and Definitive Treaties with France, Spain, and America, preſented, 14 Nov.
Pennard, Weſt, Common Fields, Petition for a Bill to incloſe; Bill ordered; 19 Dec.
Penſions. Vide *Accounts*.
Perth, Petition for a Bill to amend the Laws for repairing the Highways, Bridges, and Ferries, in that County; referred to a Committee; 22 Feb.
Petitions for private Bills, Time limited for receiving them, 14 Nov. Time enlarged, 29 Jan.
——— read again, 23 Feb. 1. 5. 24 Mar.
——— Leave given to preſent one after the limited Time, 23. 24 Feb. 24 Mar.
Phillips, Henry, his Petition for a Reward for his Diſcovery of a Powder for the Preſervation of Dry Proviſions on board Ships of War from Weevils, &c. offered; King's Recommendation ſignified; Petition brought up, and read; referred to a Committee; all to have Voices; 10 Dec. Report; to lie on the Table; 16 Mar.
Piers-bridge Road. Vide *Boroughbridge*.
Plated Goods. Vide *Sheffield*.
Plate Glaſs. Vide *Glaſs*.

Plymouth Road, from the Shambles, through Frankfort Gate, to Stonehouſe Bridge, Petition for a Bill to repair, light, watch, &c.; referred to a Committee, 3 Feb. Petition to include the Road from the Weſt End of the ſaid Bridge to the inner Barrier Gate, next the Playhouſe, in Stoke Damarel; referred; 6. Petition from the Corporation of Plymouth, againſt; to lie on the Table till firſt Petition reported; 10. Petitions reported; Bill ordered; 1 Mar. Preſented, and read, 5. Petition againſt read again, and Counſel ordered at Second Reading of Bill; Day appointed for Second Reading; ibid. Houſe informed no Counſel attended; Bill read a Second Time, and committed; all to have Voices; Petition againſt referred, and Counſel ordered; 15.

——— Vide *Taviſtock*.

Pont y Berem Road. Vide *Llanegwad*.

Porthaethwy Ferry. Vide *Angleſey*.

Portland, Duke of. Vide *Members*.

Port-Pigham, new Writ, 26 Dec.

Poſtage of Letters. Vide *Ireland*.

Poſtmaſter General, uſual Orders to him, 12 Nov.

Poyntz, William, Inſpector of Proſecutions in the Exchequer, Petition from, complaining of a Diminution in his Income, and for a Compenſation on ſurrendering up his Patent, offered; King's Recommendation ſignified; Petition brought up, and read; to lie on the Table; 19 Feb.

Precedents. Vide *Journals*.

Preſbyterians. Vide *Scotland*.

Preſton, Jacob. Vide *Norwich*.

Priſoners. Vide *Criminals*. *Tranſportation*.

Priſons. Vide *Gaols*.

Privileges, Committee appointed, 12 Nov.

Promiſſory Notes. Vide *Receipts*.

Proteſtant Purchaſers. Vide *Deeds*.

Public Money. Vide *Nation*.

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Splitgerber, John Chriſtian, and Sebaſtian Fridag, Petition for a Bill for their Naturalization; Bill ordered; 12 Nov. Preſented and read, 14. Parties take Oaths, 17. Bill committed, 18. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 19. Paſſed, 21. Agreed to by the Lords, 11 Dec. Royal Aſſent, 24.

Stafford, Petition for a Bill to build a new Gaol for that County, and for converting the preſent Gaol into a Houſe of Correction; referred to a Committee; 6 Feb.

Stewart, Lord, his Deputation for ſwearing Members, 26 Dec.

Stonehouſe Bridge Road. Vide *Plymouth.*

Stony Stratford Road. Vide *Hockliffe.*

Sunderland Port and Haven, and River Wear, Petition of the Commiſſioners for a Bill to repeal the Acts relative to improving and preſerving the ſaid River, Port, and Haven; for appointing Commiſſioners with full Powers to improve and extend the Navigation thereof, and for regulating the Wages of Perſons employed in caſting Coals and Ballaſt; referred to a Committee; 3 Feb.

SUPPLY.

Motion for it to be conſidered in a Committee of the whole Houſe, 13 Nov. Speech referred; Motion conſidered; 14. Reported; Supply agreed to, *Nem. con.*; 17. Conſideration thereof referred to a Committee of the whole Houſe, 17. 19. 21. 24. 26. 27 Nov. 1. 3. 5. 8. 10. 12. 18. 19. 22. 24 Dec. 12. 14. 16. 21. 23. 26 Jan. 2. 3. 6. 9. 11. 12. 16. 18. 20. 23. 25 Feb. 1. 3. 5. 8. 10. 12. 15. 17. 19. 22 Mar.—Conſidered, 19 Nov. 5. 10. 12. 19 Dec. 11. 23 Feb. 3. 10. 17. 22 Mar.—Eſtimates, &c. referred, 5. 10. 12. 19. 23 Dec. 10. 23 Feb. 3. 10. 17. 22 Mar.—Report Reſolutions relating to 26,000 Seamen, including 4,495 Marines; the Sum for maintaining them; 20 Nov. —a Sum for diſcharging Exchequer Bills made out by virtue of Act of laſt Seſſion for raiſing a certain Sum of Money by Loans or Exchequer Bills; for D° made out by virtue of D° for raiſing a further Sum thereby; 8 Dec.—17,483 Men for Land Service, including 2,036 Invalids; the Sum for maintaining them, including the Pay of Commiſſion and Non-commiſſioned Officers, &c. &c.; the Sum for Forces in the Plantations, and at Gibraltar, including the Pay of Commiſſion and Non-commiſſioned Officers, &c. &c.; a Sum, on Account, for the Pay neceſſary to be advanced to One Regiment of Light Dragoons, and Five Battalions of Foot for Service in Eaſt India; the Sum for General and General Staff Officers; for Allowances to the Paymaſter General of the Forces, Secretary at War, Commiſſary General of the Muſters, &c. &c.; for Two Hanoverian Battalions of Foot in Great Britain, to 24th December 1783; 11 Dec.—a Sum to replace to the Sinking Fund the like Sum paid thereout, to make good Deficiency on 5th July 1783, of the Fund eſtabliſhed for paying Annuities granted by Act 31 Geo. II.; D° for D° on D°, granted by Act 18 Geo.

Geo. III.; D° for D° on D°, granted by Act 19 Geo. III.; D° for D° on 10th October 1783, granted by Act 20 Geo. III.; D° for D° on 5th July 1783, granted by Act 22 Geo. III.; D° for D° on 10th October 1783, granted by Act 23 Geo. III.; 22 Dec.—the Sum for Ordnance, Land Service; Extraordinaries of D°; 10 Feb. Report re-committed, ibid.—a Sum for the Extraordinaries of the Ordnance; for Ordnance, Land Service, for 1784; 20.—Provision for Pay and Clothing of the Militia, 2 Mar.—a Sum for the Ordinary of the Navy, 4. a Sum for Buildings and Re-buildings of Ships, 11.—a Sum for the In and Out Penſioners of Chelſea Hoſpital, and for the Expences of the ſaid Hoſpital, 18.—a Sum for the extraordinary Expences of the Army, 23.

—— Report therefrom deferred, 16. 18 Feb. 1 Mar.

Ways and Means for raiſing the Supply.

To be conſidered in a Committee of the whole Houſe, 20. 21. 24. 26. 27 Nov. 1. 3. 5. 8. 10. 12. 18. 19. 22. 24 Dec. 12. 14. 16. 21. 23. 26 Jan. 2. 3. 6. 9. 11. 12. 16. 18. 20. 23. 25 Feb. 1. 3. 5. 8. 10. 12. 15. 17. 19. 22 Mar.—Conſidered, 21 Nov. 5. 8 Dec. 3 Mar.—Inſtruction to conſider ſo much of an Act 4 Geo. III, as relates to Letters, &c. paſſing by the Poſt free from Poſtage, 5 Dec.—Report Reſolution for continuing the Duties on Malt, &c.; Bill ordered thereupon; 24 Nov. Vide infra.—for repealing ſo much of Act 4 Geo. III. for preventing Frauds in relation to ſending and receiving Letters and Packets free from Poſtage, as permits Letters, &c. to be ſent by the Poſt, free from Poſtage, between Great Britain and Ireland; Inſtruction accordingly; 8 Dec. Vide *Ireland.*—for granting Four Shillings in the Pound on Land, &c.; Bill ordered thereupon; 10 Dec. Vide infra.—that the Charge of the Militia ſhall be defrayed out of the Land Tax; Bill ordered thereupon; 4 Mar. Vide infra.

Bills of Supply.

Bill for further continuing the Duties on Malt, &c. ordered, 24 Nov. Preſented, and read, 25. Committed, 26. Inſtructions for Clauſes of Credit and Deficiency; Bill conſidered; 27. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 1 Dec. Paſſed, 3. Agreed to by the Lords, 17. Royal Aſſent, 24.

—— for Four Shillings in the Pound on Land, &c. ordered, 10 Dec. Preſented, and read, 11. Committed, 12. Inſtructions for Clauſes of Credit and Deficiency; Bill conſidered; 18. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 19. Paſſed, 22. Agreed to by the Lords, 23. Royal Aſſent, 24.

—— for defraying the Charge of the Militia out of the Land Tax, ordered, 4 Mar. Preſented, and read, 8. Committed; 11. Conſidered, 15. 16. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 17. Paſſed, 19. Agreed to by the Lords, 23. Royal Aſſent, 24.

Surrey, new Writ, 11 Nov.

Swindon, Road to Marlborough, and from Marlborough to Everley, Petition for a Bill to continue and enlarge Term and Powers of Act; referred to a Committee; 29 Jan. Reported; Bill ordered; 3 Feb. Preſented, and read, 9. Committed, 16. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 27. Paſſed, 1 Mar. Agreed to by the Lords, 9. Royal Aſſent, 11.

Swineſhead. Vide *Grumbold's Aſh.*

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TAMWORTH, new Writ, 23 Apr.

Taviſtock, new Writ, 11 Apr.

Tea Dealers, in Briſtol, their Petition to repeal ſuch Parts of Acts 21 and 22 Geo. III. which limit the Quantity of Tea to be removed at any one Time out of the Bills of Mortality, 6 Feb. Petition from Grocers and Tea Dealers in Norwich, 7. Petition from Tea Dealers in Exeter, 15 Apr. Petition from Tea Dealers in Hull, 17 June. To lie on the Table, ibid.

—— Vide *Spirits.*

Tean Road. Vide *Sandon.*

Templer, James, Bill from the Lords for veſting certain Parts of his real Eſtates in Truſtees to be ſold, and for purchaſing other Lands to be ſettled to the Uſes therein mentioned; read; 6 May. Committed, 12. Reported, with an Amendment; Amendment agreed to; 19. Bill paſſed, 20. Amendment agreed to by the Lords, 21. Royal Aſſent, 24 June.

Tetbury Road. Vide *Cirenceſter.*

Thames Navigation. Vide *Leachlade.*

Thurlow, Lord. Vide *Accounts. Exchequer.*

Tillettings. Vide *Linens.*

Timber, for the Increaſe and Preſervation of His Majeſty's Wood and Timber, and Supply of the Navy therewith; and for the better Regulation of certain Foreſts, Chaces, Parks, Waſtes, Woods, and Wood Grounds belonging to Him, ordered, 26 June. Preſented, and read; King's Conſent ſignified; Bill to be printed; 4 July.

Tiverton, Petition from, 31 Jan. Vide *Parliament.*

Tobacco, Act 24 Geo. II. for more effectually ſecuring the Duties thereupon, to be conſidered in a Committee of the whole Houſe, 22 Jan. Conſidered, and reported; Bill to amend the Act, ordered; 23. Inſtruction for prohibiting the Importation of Currants in ſmall Packages, 24. Bill preſented, and read, 27. Committed, 13 Feb. Inſtruction for repealing ſo much of Act 18 Geo. III. as permits Portugal and Spaniſh Wines, and other Wines, except French Wines, to be imported in ſmall Caſks for private Uſe, ibid. Committee deferred, 17. 19. 20. 24. Inſtruction for taking off the Inland Duty, payable on Importation of Cocoa Nuts, upon their Exportation as Merchandize; Committee further deferred; 25. Bill conſidered, 28. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 3 Mar. Paſſed, 4. Agreed to by the Lords, 13. Royal Aſſent, 14.

—— Vide *Smalts.*

—— Pipe Clay. Vide *Laws* expiring.

Tobago. Vide *Goods.*

Tourneiſen, John James, Bill from the Lords for his Naturalization, 11 Mar. Read, 13. Committed, 17. Reported; paſſed; 20. Royal Aſſent, 17 Apr.

Tow. Vide *Sharrow.*

Tower Hamlets, Petition from, 7 May. Vide *Parliament.*

Trade, Grand Committee appointed, 6 Dec.

Treaſury. Vide *Offices.*

Trent Navigation. Vide *Wilden Ferry.*

—— and Merſey Navigation, Petition for a Bill to alter and amend Acts 6. 10. 15. and 16 Geo. III. for making it; referred to a Committee; 6 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 12. Preſented, and read, 13. Committed, 17. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 4 Apr. Paſſed, 9. Agreed to by the Lords, 15. Royal Aſſent, 17.

Truro, new Writ, 30 June.

Turkey Company, Petition for further Aſſiſtance, offered; King's Recommendation ſignified; Petition brought up, and read; to lie on the Table; 7 Mar. Referred to Committee of Supply, 9 May. Vide *Supply.*

Turvey Common Fields, Petition for a Bill to incloſe; Bill ordered; 12 Dec. Preſented, and read, 18. Committed, 23. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 27 Jan. Paſſed, 31. Agreed to by the Lords, 12 Feb. Royal Aſſent, 14 Mar.

Tyne Bridge. Vide *Hexham.*

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TAVERN Spite Road. Vide *Mothvey.*

Taviſtock Roads to Plymouth and other Places, Petition of the Truſtees, &c. for a Bill to amend and render the Acts more effectual; referred to a Committee; 6 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 9. Preſented, and read, 15 Mar. Committed, 19.

Tea. Vide *Coffee.*

Thames and Iſis Rivers, Petition for a Bill to explain and amend Acts 11 and 15 Geo. III. for improving the Navigation thereof; referred to a Committee; 18 Feb.

Tillettings. Vide *Buckrams.*

Tinmouth Barracks. Vide *Northumberland,* Duke of.

Totnes Roads, Petition for a Bill to continue, enlarge, and alter, Term and Powers of Act; referred to a Committee; 16 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 3 Mar. Preſented, and read, 8. Committed, 12. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 22. Paſſed, 23.

Touray, Michael Peter, Petition for a Bill for his Naturalization; Bill ordered; 26 Nov. Preſented, and read, 27. Party takes Oaths, 1 Dec. Bill committed, ibid. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 3. Paſſed, 4. Agreed to by the Lords, 19. Royal Aſſent, 24.

Trade, Grand Committee appointed, 12 Nov.

Tranſportation, Bill to amend and continue Act 19 Geo. III. for explaining and amending the Laws relating to the Tranſportation, Impriſonment, and other Puniſhment of certain Offenders, ordered, 19 Dec.

—— Committee appointed to enquire what Proceedings have been had in the Execution of the above mentioned Act; all to have Voices; 9 Mar. Report; to lie on the Table; 22.

—— Vide *Criminals.*

Treaſury,

Treaſury, Commiſſioners of. Vide *Eaſt India.*
Treaties. Vide *Accounts.*
Tregony Road to Ruan Lanehorne and other Places, Petition for a Bill to extend, explain, alter, and enlarge Term and Powers of Act; referred to a Committee; 29 Jan. Reported; Bill ordered; 3 Feb. Preſented, and read, 5. Committed, 9. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 16. Paſſed, 18. Agreed to by the Lords, 1 Mar. Royal Aſſent, 11.
Trent and Merſey Navigation, Petition from the Company of Proprietors for a Bill to enable them to carry into Execution an Agreement entered into with the Companies of Proprietors of the Coventry and Oxford Canal Navigations; referred to a Committee; 16 Feb.
—— Vide *Coventry.*
Trowbridge, Petition from, 19 Nov. Vide *Receipts.*
Trowell Road. Vide *Bramcote.*
Truro, new Writ, 29 Jan.
Tugby Common Fields, Petition for a Bill to incloſe; Bill ordered; 19 Feb.
Turkey Company, Petition for further Aſſiſtance, offered; King's Recommendation ſignified; Petition brought up, and read; to lie on the Table; 22 Mar.

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VAGABONDS. Vide *Egyptians. Rogues.*
Vellum. Vide Bills in *Supply.*
Victuallers. Vide *Innholders.*
Victualling Office, Petition from ſeveral Inhabitants of Portſmouth complaining of Abuſes in the Victualling Office Department there; referred to a Committee; all to have Voices; 21 Mar. Members added, 26. Committee revived; Inſtructed to ſit next Day; 31. Report; to be printed; 15 May. Petition from Commiſſioners for Victualling the Navy, to be heard by Counſel in Anſwer to certain Matters ſtated in the Report; Motion for referring it to a Committee, withdrawn; Committee on the Petition from Portſmouth revived; Petition from Commiſſioners of Victualling referred; Report referred; 16 June. Petition from Officers and Clerks in the Victualling Office at Portſmouth, to be heard in their Juſtification; referred; ibid. Houſe informed that the Commiſſioners of Victualling were deſirous to withdraw their Petition, in order to preſent another inſtead thereof; Order for referring it to the Committee diſcharged, and Leave given to withdraw it; 18. Another Petition from the ſaid Commiſſioners preſented, and referred, 19. Members added to the Committee, 20. Report; to lie on the Table; 8 July.
Vincent, St. (Iſland of). Vide *Goods.*
Vinegar. Vide *Wines.*
Volunteers. Vide *Land Forces.*
Votes, to be printed, 6 Dec.
—— Entries therein read, 31 Mar.
—— Vide *Address.*
—— fraudulent. Vide *Elections.*

24° *Geo.* III. *Parl.* 15. *Seſſ.* 4. *A.* 1783, & 1784.

VICTUALLERS, Motion for Leave to bring in a Bill to repeal ſo much of General Turnpike Act 13 Geo. III. as prohibits them from being Truſtees, &c.; withdrawn; 11 Feb.
Victualling Office, Committee appointed to enquire into Frauds and Abuſes committed in the Victualling Office Departments; to report Opinion; 3 Dec. Petitions preſented laſt Seſſion, and Report thereon referred, ibid. Report; to lie on the Table; 24 Mar.
Votes, to be printed, 12 Nov.
—— Entries therein read, 12. 26 Jan.

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WAGGONS. Vide Bills in *Supply.*
Wains. Vide Bills in *Supply.*
Wale, Margaretta Phillipina, and Mary Pemberton, Bill from the Lords for their Naturalization; read; 3 June. Committed, 11. Reported; paſſed; 18. Royal Aſſent, 24.
Wales, Motion for Leave to bring in a Bill for more perfectly uniting to the Crown the Principality of Wales and County Palatine of Cheſter; for aboliſhing certain Offices appertaining thereto; for Sale of Foreſt, and other Lands, and applying the Produce to the Public Service, 19 Dec. King's Conſent ſignified; Bill ordered; ibid.
—— Prince of, Meſſage from His Majeſty for a ſeparate Eſtabliſhment for him; referred to Committee of Supply; 23 June. Vide *Supply.*
Walpole, Honourable Richard (a Member). Vide *Rumbold.*
Walſhcroft. Vide *Yarbrough.*
Walton Roads. Vide *Sparrow's Herne.*
Wapping, Petition for a Bill to explain and amend Act of laſt Seſſion for better Relief of the Poor there, and opening Communications, &c. with certain Streets; referred to a Committee; 4 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 21. Preſented, and read, 14 Mar. Committed, 18. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 28 Paſſed, 31. Agreed to by the Lords, 9 Apr. Royal Aſſent, 17.
Warwick Borough, new Writ, 7 Apr.
Watford Road. Vide *Sparrow's Herne.*
Wear River. Vide *Sunderland.*
Weed Aſhes. Vide *Laws* expiring.
Weights and Meaſures, Petition from Suſſex for an Act to aſcertain and fix the Standard thereof, to lie on the Table; 8 July.
Wells, Mr. Speaker acquaints the Houſe of his having iſſued his Warrant for a new Writ in the Receſs, 5 Dec.
—— Incloſure. Vide *Cuthbert.*
Weobley, new Writ, 6 June.
Weſtbromwich Canal. Vide *Birmingham.*
Weſtbury, new Writ, 20 Mar.
Weſt India Trade. Vide *Goods.*
Weſtminſter Paving. Vide *James*, St. Pariſh. *Covent Garden. Anne*, St. Pariſh. *Giles*, St. Pariſh. *Danes*, St. Clement Pariſh. *Martin*, St. Pariſh, *Margaret*, St. Pariſh.
—— Petitions from, 10 Feb. Vide *Copper Coin.*—7 May. Vide *Parliament.*
—— new Writ, 2 Apr.
Weſtmoreland Militia, Petition from ſeveral Perſons, late Officers therein, relative to the Conduct of the Affairs of that Regiment, offered; Queſtion Neg. for bringing it up, *Nem. con.*; 5 May.
—— Roads. Vide *Hesket.*
Wetherby Road, through Kirk Deighton and other Places, to Knareſborough, Petition for a Bill to repair; referred to a Committee; 3 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 20. Preſented, and read, 3 Mar. Committed, 7. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 19. Paſſed, 20. Agreed to by the Lords, 1 Apr. Royal Aſſent, 17.
—— Vide *Doncaſter.*
Weymouth, Lord. Vide *Heyteſbury.*
Wharam, Ann, Petition for a Bill to enlarge Term of Letters Patent for her Invention of a particular Kind of Stirrup; referred to a Committee; 5 Feb.
Wheat, Wheat Flour, Rye, Rye Flour, Barley, and all Sorts of Corn, Grain, and Meal, Bill to permit the Importation thereof on Payment of the Low Duties, and in Neutral Veſſels, ordered, 16 Dec. Preſented, and read; committed; 17. Inſtruction; Bill conſidered; 18. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 19. Paſſed, 20. Agreed to by the Lords, 23. Royal Aſſent, ibid.
—— Vide *Laws* expiring.
Whitchurch, new Writ, 7 Mar.
White, Mr. Vide *Addreſs.*
Whitechapel, Petition from the Rector, &c. of Saint Mary's Pariſh, for a Bill to pave, cleanſe, and regulate Part of Church Lane, and ſeveral other Streets and Places, and for raiſing Money to defray Expences incurred in repairing the Church; referred to a Committee; 4 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 13 Mar. Petition to pave ſuch Part of the ſaid Lane as lies in the Pariſh of Saint George; referred to a Committee; 13 May. Reported, and Inſtruction accordingly, 19. Bill preſented, and read, 20. Committed, 26. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 5 June. Paſſed, 13. Agreed to by the Lords, 7 July. Royal Aſſent, 11.
Whitehill, John, his Petition for a Bill to repeal certain Parts of Act of laſt Seſſion for compelling him to return into this Kingdom, &c. offered; Queſtion Neg. *Nem. con.* for bringing it up; 19 Dec.—Another Petition from Mr. Whitehill for a Bill to repeal ſo much of the ſaid Act as inflicts the Penalty of a Total Forfeiture on him for not ſurrendering within the Time limited for his Return; referred to a Committee; 22 Jan. Reported; Report to lie on the Table; 13 Feb. Read again, and Bill for repealing the Act, &c. ordered, 20. Preſented, and read, 24. Committed, 28. Conſidered,

Conſidered, 3 Mar. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 4. Paſſed, 6. Agreed to by the Lords, 17. Royal Aſſent, 21.

——— Vide *Accounts.*

White's, St. Road. Vide *Newnham.*

Whitſtable Road. Vide *Canterbury.*

Widows of Naval Officers. Vide *King. Addreſs.*

Wigan, Mr. Speaker acquaints the Houſe of his having iſſued his Warrant for a new Writ in the Receſs, 5 Dec.

——— new Writ, 24 Apr.

Wigton, Withorn, &c. Burghs, new Writ, 9 Apr.

Wilden Ferry Navigation to Gainſborough, Petition for a Bill to improve it, and for impowering Perſons navigating Veſſels thereon to hale with Horſes; referred to a Committee; 6 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 14. Members added, 19. Bill preſented, and read, 28. Committed, 4 Mar. Petitions from Stafford and Mancheſter, for deepening the River to Twenty-four Inches; referred; 6. Petition from Hull for the ſame Purpoſe; referred, and Counſel ordered; 10. Other Petitions for the like; referred; 18. 19. Petition from the Company of Proprietors of the Soar Navigation for the ſame Purpoſe; referred, and Counſel ordered; 19. Other Petitions for the like; referred; 20. Petitions from the Company of Proprietors of the Erewaſh Canal, and Trent and Merſey Navigations, for deepening the River; referred, and Counſel ordered; all to have Voices; ibid. Other Petitions for deepening the River to Twenty-four Inches; referred; 21. Bill reported; to be ingroſſed; 8 May. Paſſed, 12. Agreed to by the Lords, 16. Royal Aſſent, 24 June.

——— to Burton upon Trent, Petition for a Bill to make a Horſe Towing-Path; referred to a Committee; 6 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 14. Preſented, and read, 28. Committed, 4 Mar. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 11 Apr. Paſſed, 14. Agreed to by the Lords, 17. Royal Aſſent, 6 May.

Williams, John, Bill from the Lords to diſſolve his Marriage; read; 11 Mar. Committed; Inſtruction to hear Counſel and examine Witneſſes; 17. Bill conſidered, 25. Further conſidered, and reported, 27. Paſſed, 28. Royal Aſſent, 17 Apr.

——— John Hanbury, Bill from the Lords for veſting his Eſtates in Truſtees to be ſold, and the Purchaſe Money applied upon the Truſts and for the Purpoſes therein mentioned; read; 12 May. Committed, 16. Reported; paſſed; 23. Royal Aſſent, 24 June.

Wills. Vide *Deeds.*

Wiltſhire Roads. Vide *Sheppard's Shord.*

Wincheſter Road, over Worthy Cow Down, to Newtown River, and to the Andover Turnpike Road, Petition for a Bill to enlarge Term and Powers of Act; referred to a Committee; 3 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 10 Apr. Preſented, and read, 11. Committed, 28. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 9 May. Paſſed, 12. Agreed to by the Lords, 3 June. Royal Aſſent, 24.

——— Petition from, 5 Feb. Vide *Parliament.*

Wine, Bill for better preventing Frauds in the landing and removing of it, ordered, 26 June. Inſtruction to make Proviſion for preventing the re-landing of refined Sugar entered for Exportation, to obtain the Drawback, or Bounty, 1 July. Bill preſented, and read, ibid. Committed, 2. Conſidered, 4. Report deferred, 7. Bill reported; further Conſideration of Report adjourned; 8. Reſumed; Bill to be ingroſſed; 9. Paſſed, 10. Agreed to by the Lords, 15. Royal Aſſent, ibid.

Wines, and Vinegar, ſo much of Act 18 Geo. III. for granting additional Duties on Importation thereof, as relates to preventing the clandeſtine Importation of Wines in ſmall Caſks, to be conſidered in a Committee of the whole Houſe, 11 Feb. Conſidered, 12. Report Reſolution for repealing ſo much of the ſaid Act as permits Portugal and Spaniſh Wines, and other Wines, except French Wines, to be imported in ſmall Caſks for private Uſe; agreed to, and Inſtruction accordingly; 13. Vide *Tobacco.*

Witneſſes, ordered to attend the Houſe, 6 Feb. 20. 26. 27 May.—Committees of the whole Houſe, 5. 12 Mar. 30 Apr.

Woefield Corner Road. Vide *Cirenceſter.*

Wolverhampton Navigation. Vide *Bilſton.*

Wood. Vide *Timber.*

Wood Aſhes. Vide *Laws* expiring.

Woodfall, W. Vide *Speaker.*

Woodſtock, new Writ, 4 Apr.

Wood Street. Vide *Margaret*, St. Pariſh.

Worceſterſhire Roads. Vide *Cleobury Mortimer.*

Works, Officers of Board of. Vide *King. Supply.*

Worthy Cow Down Road. Vide *Wincheſter* ſupra.

Writs of Right, Bill for further Limitation of them, and for the further Amendment of the Law, ordered, 5 June. Preſented, and read; Day appointed for Second Reading; 6. Committed, 11. Conſidered, and reported; to be printed, with Amendments; Day appointed for further conſidering Report; 12. Bill re-committed, 19. Petition from the Right honourable John Sidney Earl of Leiceſter, againſt Part of the Bill; referred, and Counſel ordered; 20. Committee deferred, ibid. Bill further conſidered, 23. 24. Reported; to be printed, with Amendments; 24. Day appointed for further conſidering Report, 27. Further Conſideration thereof deferred, 1 July. Put off for Two Months, 3.

——— new, iſſued in the Receſs. Vide *Speaker.*

24° *Geo.* III. *Parl.* 15. *Seſſ.* 4. *A.* 1783, & 1784.

WADSLEY Common Fields, Petition for a Bill to incloſe; Bill ordered; 18 Feb.

Walcot Road. Vide *Hinckley.*

Wallingford Road. Vide *Shillingford.*

——— new Writ, 24 Dec.

Warrington Road. Vide *Salford.*

Wear River. Vide *Sunderland.*

Welwyn Road. Vide *Lemsford Mill.*

Weſtbury new Writ, 26 Dec.

Weſt Looe. Vide *Port-Pigham.*

Weſtmoreland Roads. Vide *Kirkby Kendall. Kirkby Steven.*

Weſt Pennard. Vide *Pennard.*

Whiteſheet Hill Road to the Index Poſt on the Side of Harnham Hill, and from thence to Mr. Baker's Farm Houſe; Petition for a Bill to enlarge Term and Powers of Act; referred to a Committee; 23 Jan.

Wiggenhall, Petition for a Bill to enlarge Powers of Act 30 Geo. II. for draining certain Fen Lands in that Pariſh; referred to a Committee; 21 Nov. Reported; Bill ordered; 3 Feb. Preſented, and read, 5. Committed, 11. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 25. Paſſed, 27. Agreed to by the Lords, 8 Mar. Royal Aſſent, 11.

Wight, Iſle of, Petition for a Bill to ſettle the Rates for Carriage of Paſſengers and Goods to and from thence; referred to a Committee; 12 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 23. Member added, 2 Mar. Bill preſented, and read, 3. Committed, 11. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 19. Paſſed, 22. Agreed to by the Lords, 23. Royal Aſſent, 24.

Wigtoft Road. Vide *Spalding.*

Wills. Vide *Deeds. Northumberland.*

Wiltſhire Roads. Vide *Swindon.*

Wincheſter, Mr. Speaker acquaints the Houſe of his having iſſued his Warrant for a new Writ in the Receſs, 11 Nov.

Witneſſes, ordered to attend the Houſe, 14 Jan.—a Committee of the whole Houſe, 2 Mar.

——— Vide *Queſtions* Neg.

Woodſtock Roads, through Kiddington and Enſtone, to Rollright Lane, and from Enſlow Bridge to Kiddington, Petition for a Bill to enlarge Term and Powers of Act; referred to a Committee; 22 Jan. Petition for further Proviſions; referred; 26. Report; Bill for amending the Roads, ordered; 27 Feb. Preſented, and read, 1 Mar. Committed, 5. Reported; to be ingroſſed; 23.

Wool-combers (in Suffolk) Petition from, for a Bill for more effectually preventing Frauds and Abuſes committed by Perſons employed in the Manufactures of combing Wool, Worſted Yarn, and Goods made from Worſted; referred to a Committee; 16 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 4 Mar. Preſented, and read, 9.

Worſted. Vide *Wool-combers* ſupra.

Writs, new, iſſued in the Receſs. Vide *Speaker.*

—— Bill to explain and amend Act 7 and 8 Will. III. with reſpect to the Conveyance and Delivery of Writs for electing Members to ſerve in Parliament, ordered, 24 Jan.

—— Vide *Accounts.*

23° *Geo.* III. *Parl.* 15. *Seſſ.* 3. *A.* 1782, & 1783.

YARBROUGH, Bradley Haverſtow, &c. &c. Petition for a Bill for the more eaſy Recovery of Small Debts; referred to a Committee; 4 Feb. Reported; Bill ordered; 20. Preſented, and read, 24. Committed, 2 Apr.

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Yarmouth, (Great) Petition from, 3 Feb. Vide *Parliament.*
———— new Writ, 4 Apr.
York City, Petition from, 24 Feb. Vide *Parliament.*
———— new Writ, 2 Apr.
—— County, Petition from, 24 Feb. Vide *Parliament.*
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24° *Geo.* III. *Parl.* 15. *Seſſ.* 4. *A.* 1783, & 1784.

YARN. Vide *Wool-combers.*
York Buildings Company, their Petition for a Bill for completing the Objects of the Sales of the Company's Eſtates, and applying the Money ariſing therefrom in Diſcharge of their Debts; referred to a Committee; 14 Nov.
———— Petition of Creditors for a Bill to have the Money in the Hands of the Purchaſers of the Company's Eſtates, and others who have been concerned in the Management of their Affairs, paid into the Bank for the Benefit of the Creditors of the Company; referred to a Committee; 21 Nov. Reported; Bill ordered; 14 Jan. Preſented, and read, 20. Committed, 29. Petition from the Stockholders for additional Proviſion; referred; 6 Feb. Inſtruction accordingly, 10.
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—— County, new Writ, 10 Dec.
———— Petition from, 16 Jan. Vide *Parliament.*
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